# LOEB SANCTIONS

Deputy Collector Will Receive Rich Reward as His Portion.

SHARE MAY BE \$700,000

Money Due Him as Result o His Work in Unearthing Sugar Frauds.

NEW YORK, December 18.—William Loeb, Jr., collector of the port of New York, has approved the claim to molety by Richard Farr, the deputy collector and original informer in the sugar frauds, on the \$21.35,486 pald into the United States Treasury by the American Sugar Refining Company as restitution for duties evaded by underweighing.

According to the statutes regulating such awards, Parr will receive 'not exceeding in amount one-hair of the net proceeds,' which will mean in this case, if the claim is approximately \$1.000,000.

Mr. Loeb approved the claim, but only after a thorough investigation by Harrison Osborne, solicitor of the customs. He held that the claim was yalld in that Parr, on November 20, 1507, discovered a steel spring which was used by the company's checkers to influence the weight of draughts of sugar adversely. This laid bare the scheme to defraud, and it was due to the evidence obtained as the consequence of the events of November 20 that a jury in the civil suit against the company last spring gave a verdict of guilty, which was followed by the paying of the penalty, \$13.456.32 and the restitution of \$2,000,000.

Mr. Loeb could not be seen to-day. It was said at his house that he retired early and would not be disturbed.

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Not Only Claimant.

Parr is not the only claimant for the award. He has had a serious rival in Edwin I. Anderson, another customs employe, but the inference is that Parr will win out, for the Treasury Department has ratified practically overy move of Mr. Loeb in the vast sugar scandals.

There is some confliction of statutes concerning payments of this character, but it is said that, in any event, Parr will receive 30 per cent, of the amount named, or approximately \$700.000.

Parr was seen at his home to-night and confirmed the report that Mr. Osborne had acted favorably on his claim, and that Mr. Loeb had ratified the decision.

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Place Raided by Police.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

LYNCHBURG. VA. December 19.—
The police, early this morning, raided an alleged gambling joint over 905 and alleged gambling joint over 905 and the ships get back to Hampton Roads after the first of the year.

A court of inquiry will inquire into the Georgia's accident with a view of placing responsibility.

Profiles' Busheav West.

Case Is Continued.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch,]
LYNCHBURG, VA., December 19.—
The case of Carlisles Administrator vs.
the Southern Bell Telephone Company
and the Lynchburg Traction and Light
Company for \$10,000 for the death of
J. C. Carlisle, a telephone lineman
here, November 30, 1995, which was to
have been tried at this term of the
City Circuit Court, has been continued
until the February term.

Dies of Her Injuries.

Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

LURAY, VA., December 19.—Mrs.
Lockwood Hughes, who fell from a fifty-foot abutment of the Norfolk and Western Railway bridge in this place last Thursday evening, died in Luray last night. The woman never regained consciousness after the accident. Her injuries consisted of a broken hip and concussion of the brain. She was about thirty-cight years of age, and was born in Pittsburg. A husband and one son survive her.

Judges Exonerated.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

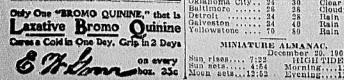
ROANOKE, VA., December 19.—The investigation of charges of alleged irregularities on the part of three judges in Kinaball Ward at the local option election here two months ago was concluded last midnight, and resulted in the exoneration of the judges. The concluding session of the electoral board was held last evening, and was not completed until a late hour.

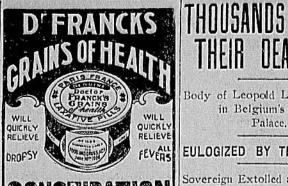
Premier Gives Pages.

LISBON, December 19.—Wenceslo de Lima, the new Premier, gives as the reason for the resignation of the cabinet, which took place yesterday, the defection of two groups of the coalition parties, by which the ministry had been supported.

Makes Fine Flight.

ST. JOSEPH, MO., December 19.—
Charles K. Hamilton in his Curtis biplane, to-day, starting from the ice
on Lake Contrary, made a flight of
twelve minutes' duration. He circled
the lake eight times and covered
claven miles. Six hundred spectators
on the ice cheered the aviator's performance.





## LIVED IN THREE CENTURIES

Pughing Railway Work.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.].

Fine progress is being made on the excavations for the street railway line to Fairwew Heights. The underground crossing at the Southern Railway has been completed and the removal of the earth in Campbell Avenue can go on more rapidly now than was the case before the work under the railway was completed.

Police Hold 390 Negroes.

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Past St. LOUIS, ILL., December 19.

Three hundred negroes, each answering in some particular the description of a highwayman who shot and killed Motorman Eugene V. Goudevand probably fatally wounded Conductor M. P. O'Brien on a street car last night, are held at police head-quarters to-night.

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LYNCHBURG, VA., December 19.—

Rev. P. Bernard Hill, for three years pastor of the Rivermont Avenue Prespyterian Church, announced from his pulpit to-day that he had decided to accept the call of the West End Church, Roanoke. He has not decided when the resirnation will be effective. He will be first pastor of this new Roanoke work.

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	Savannah			46	Rain
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	Memphis		23	24	Rain
	Vicksburg		26	28	
	Oklahoma City	-	24	30	
	Baltimore		28	28	Cloudy

Body of Leopold Lies in State in Belgium's Royal Palace.

EULOGIZED BY THE CHURCH

Sovereign Extolled as Apostle of

of King Leopold lay in state in the royal palace to-day while thousands who had patiently waited their turn to be admitted, filed sliently before the catafalque and paid homage to their

In the presence of Prince Albert and the officers and dignitaries of the court

justice, the glorifier of the Catholic faith, and the promoter of Christian civilization, through the founding and development of the Congo Independent

and that Mr. Loeb had ratified the decision.

"I do not know exactly how much I will receive," said Parr. "In exceptional cases the government awards 50 per cent, but more usually 30 or 35. All the other claims were before the solicitor, but the fact that mine was upheld speaks for itself."

"Molety" as used in connection with the claim denotes a part or portion of, as the definition of the word indicates. The statutes prescribe "that whenever any office of the customs or other persons shall detect and seize goods, wares or merchandise in the act of being smuggled, or which have been smuggled, or which have been smuggled, or which have been smuggled, he shall be entitled to such compensation therefor as the Secretary of the Treasury shall award."

It was largely upon Farr's evidence as the discoverer of the steel spring that five former employes of the American Sugar Refining Company were convicted here lest week. At present he has charge of the weighing department of the customs service here.

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PHILADELPHIA, December 19.—

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IN FAVOR OF A STRIKE

CINCINNATI, OHIO, December 19.—

With the referendum vote of telegraphers of the Big Four Railroad completed to-night, J. Dermody, fourth vice-president of the order of Railway 1 Telegraphers; announced that 28 percent of the union telegraphers voted in favor of a strike.

Mr. Dermody said the question of a strike now lay with a committee of seven, which, with the national body of the union, will settle the controversy, About 1,000 men are involved in the demands on the Big Four for a wage increase and other concessions.

Place Railed by Pollow

Will Represent France.

PARIS. Decamber 18.

The Soier publishes a dispatch from Rome stating that it is confirmed at the Vatican that King Leopold and Baroness Vaughan were married both by a civil ceremony and a religious ceremony at San Remo, and that the King pardoned his daughters; otherwise he could not have been absolved. According to the newspapers, the ex-Empress Charlotte, widow of Maxif formed of her brother Leopold's death.

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PARIS, December 13.—Senator Decraies, who was minister at Brussels in 1880, has been designated as the French representative at the funeral of King Leopold. The Belgian Foreign Office has instructed the Belgian minister at Paris to put seals on Leopold's private residence in the Champs Elysees district and pay off the servants. At the instance of Frincess Louise's attorneys, seals also will be

placed on the property at Barincourt, but several rooms will be left open for the occupancy of Baroness Vaughan.

NO BASIS FOR JUDGMENT

Expected That Cook's Papers Will Receive Adverse Decision.

COPENHAGEN, December 19, The general belief is held here that the cominals belief is held here that the cominals of Dr. Frederick A. Cook's polor records will report that Dr. Cook's papers do not provide a basis for any well founded selentific judgment.

Believe IIIm in Norway.

NEW YORK, December 18.—Intimate friends of Dr. Frederick A. Cook, who are on pins and needles, as it were, pending the decision of his data at Copenhagen, said to-night that in their belief, Dr. Cook is at the home of a friend in Christiansand, Norway, within easy eall of Copenhagen. It is thought that Dr. Cook left this country on the steaming United States which sailed on Thanksgiving Day, Walter Lonsdale, the explorer's secretary, is known to have sailed on the vessel.

NAPLIES, December 10.—The rumor spread here to-day that Dr. Cook was about the steamer Saxonia, and a large number of people rushed to the dock to great him. The captain of the Saxonia said that he had been notified that Dr. Cook intended to cross on his steamer, but was detained and asked the captain to transfer his ticket to the Carmania.

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# "TREAD WATER"

## Congressmen Leaving Capital for Their Homes, and Little Business Will Be Attempted in Either Branch.

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 19.—
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of members of either house in the

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## Virginians at the Hotels

GRANGER.—Died, at his boarding house, corner Eighteenth and Venable Streets, LINWOOD P. GRANGER, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Granger, in the twenty-seventh year of his age. He leaves his parents and one sister, Mrs. Frank Stringer.

Funcal at non TO-DAY (Monday) from Emmanuel Episcopal Church, Hanover county.

GARY.—Died, December 19, 1902, at at 9:30 o'clock, at his father's residence, 18 South Cherry, PURCELL GARY, aged two years and four months, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary.
Fineral from above residence
THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, December 20, at 4 o'clock.

GRANDE.—Died, December 19, 8:45 P.
M., at her late residence, No. 4
South Linden Street, MRS. ELIZABETH GRANDE (nee Ryan), beloved
wife of James Vincent Grande;
mother of Margurita Lillian Vincent
and Albert Grande; daughter of the
late Thomas D. Ryan and Mrs. Elizabeth Ryan, in the forty-first year of
her age.

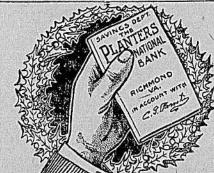
How we miss you, mother; How we miss your shining eyes; And when our life's sad song is sung We will meet beyond the skies. "Gone, but not forgotten."
BY HER CHILDREN.

Funeral from late residence to Sacred Heart Cathedral TUESDAY MORNING, 21st, at 10 o'clock. In-terment in family section in Oak-wood Cemetery.

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